



FIRELADIES BALL—Mrs. Richard Sprout and fireman Roy Holloman practice a few turns in front of the Torrance Fire Station as Mrs. James Wass looks on. Donned in fire chief's helmets, the three are ready and waiting for Saturday's annual dance at 9 p.m. at the American Legion Hall, 1109 Border Ave. Proceeds from the affair will go into the Widows' Fund.

Local Nuptials Unite Twiss and Howard

Miss Joan Patricia Twiss, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael A. Twiss of 25230 Weston Rd., became the bride of Marvin Eugene Howard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Milton R. Howard of 414 Castano Ave., Oct. 3 at 10 a.m. ceremonies at the St. Margaret Mary Catholic Church. The bride was escorted to the altar by her father. Her gown was of chantilly lace with a peau-de-soie bodice. The scalloped neckline of the dress was embroidered with pearls and the skirt featured a front panel of double lace and a chapel length train. The fingertip bridal veil of illusion net was held in place by a crown of pearls and the bride carried a bouquet of cymbidium orchids surrounded by white carnations, stephanotis and ivy. K&J Goodmansons wore a Grecian style gown of aqua chiffon over taffeta in her role of maid of honor. Bridesmaids, Patricia Howard, and Jo Ann Logan and junior bridesmaids, Linda Padros and Candace Creighton wore identical gowns of chiffon over taffeta with velvet and pearl headresses and carried matching carnation arm bouquets. Robert Howard the bridegroom's brother served as best man and Phillip Walling and William Wells as ushers. The bride is a graduate of Torrance High School. The bridegroom graduated from Pasadena City College, and UCLA and is now attending South Western Law School. He is presently employed by the Occidental Life Insurance Co. of California, Los Angeles. The bride is employed as the assistant office manager at Navan Products Inc. at El Segundo. Rev. John V. Hegarty officiated at the ceremony with Mary Butterfield, organist, accompanying Dorothy Di Sabotino, soloist in presenting the wedding music. For the ceremonies the mother of the bride chose a cocoa sheath dress of poinsetta satin with matching accessories and the bridegroom's mother a sapphire blue suit dress, with hat and purse to match. Following the wedding a buffet breakfast reception for the newlyweds was held at the church hall, decorated for the occasion with pink and white wedding bells. Miss Norma Twiss was in charge of the guest book. Out of State guests included Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hamilton of Minnesota and the bride's aunt and friends from Scottsdale Arizona. On return from their honeymoon in Carmel and San Francisco the newlyweds will make their home at 5709 Condon Ave., Los Angeles.

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FASHION FORECAST—Members of the Torrance Memorial Hospital Auxiliary (left) Mmes. Bert Lynn and Allen Pycatt, models for next Tuesday's fashion show at the Palms, pose with Mrs. H. F. Heinlein, general chairman of the affair, following a recent planning session. Fashion for the show, presented by Sam Levy Department Store, will be commented on by Sylvia Miller, fashion editor of the Torrance Press.

Lots of Chiefs to Dance at Fireladies' Ball

Everyone will be a chief at the Fireladies' annual fall-dance Saturday evening. Guests will receive replicas of red fire chief helmets as they enter the ballroom at the American Legion Hall, 1109 Border Ave. Coatles will strike up the music for the evening at 9 p.m. Tickets for the dance may be purchased at the door. Members on the Ladies Auxiliary of the Torrance Fire Department sponsoring the affair are: Mmes. James Wass, George Blahnik, Richard Sprout, Paul Smith, and John Ferraiolo.

Tip to Toe

By Sylvia Miller
Fashion Editor

FASHION SUITS YOU
Fashion is a funny Dame. . . and her ways are mysterious indeed! For the past few years smart suits were as hard to come by as a good five cent cigar. Now suits are a happy must! A looking-round-the-town spree of local shops convinces us that designers and manufacturers have heeded our pleas. Suits are back. . . and the well-dressed woman had better have one! For those well-know "what shall I wear for that special event?" blues. . . a handsome suit has always been the answer, especially in California.

THAT PARIS LOOK!
A group of suits we've spotted with the restraint of San Francisco and the dash of Paris are especially intriguing. A real "jewel" by "Lilli Ann" (seen each month in Harper's Bazaar) is made of 24 carat gold cloth imported from France and designed to light the night at cocktails or dinner. Cut to show the figure, but gently, the jacket glides well over the hips. The "Lilli Ann" look is always rounded, as a woman is rounded. And the sheen of the gold is softened by the black velvet which edges the shawl collar and jacket bottom. Black velvet roses and leaves, outlined in gold thread, bloom at the waist closing.

FUR FURBELOWS
That prettiest of all fashion looks. . . fur trimming . . . turns up on a rich petiti point wool suit in black. The luxury look is heightened by sumptuous silver fox edging the widened collar and spilling over the shoulders. The all-important "shaped" look is guaranteed by four self-covered buttons marching up the jacket to the throat line. In all these suits (many of them mink-trimmed, others with shawl collar edged with pleating or wool braid) there's softened bulk at the top. . . face framing and flattering. And all skirts are pencil slim, fully silk lined and deeply back pleated for ease of movement.

FASHION FUN
Informal entertaining has always been the hallmark of California living. Fun to wear when you're hostessing, especially if you're also chief cook and bottle washer (and who isn't?) are the new, floor length hostess skirts. They're cut long, wide and handsome with much style for little money, and combine stunningly with soft blouses or tailored shirts. Another fun way to look glamorous. . . from Tip To Toe!



MRS. MARVEN EUGENE HOWARD —Photo by Stanford's

Torrance Y-Teens Drive for Members

With 12 clubs started and plans for six more, the Torrance Y-Teen clubs have started their membership drives and are already busy planning the year's events. Y-Teen clubs, open to all girls regardless of race, religion, or creed in the seventh through twelfth grades, are democratically run by the members with adult advisors and professional help from YWCA staff members. The Y-Teen goals are: to grow as a person; to grow in friendship with people of all races, religions and nationalities; and to grow in the knowledge and love of God. Throughout the year the girls have programs and projects which deal with the six program emphases. These emphasis with samples of each are: the arts (gift wrapping demonstrations, spaghetti dinners, trips to Hollywood); vocation (talk by a stewardess, discussions on how to apply for jobs, various career speakers); personal relations (talk on hair styling, panels on teen age problems, recognition ceremony); health and recreation (hayrides, dances, physical fitness talks); religion (speakers from various religions, attending church as a group); and social responsibility for citizenship (making tray favors for hospitals, "adopting" wards for Christmas parties, helping at the local YWCA). Besides their many club events the girls have a chance to take part in all-association events such as an annual dinner, summer conferences and officers' training. Through World Fellowship projects they learn of the YWCA's in the countries throughout the world. The groups that are formed meet at the following times: Torrance High: Phi Debs and Sororities (seniors) 3 p.m. Wednesdays; Silhouettes (juniors) 3 p.m. Tuesdays; Hi Toppers (juniors) 3 p.m. Fridays; Delias (sophomores) 7 p.m. Wednesday evenings. South High: AH clubs meet Tuesday afternoons at 3 p.m. in the following rooms: Hi Debs (seniors) F-2, Pirouettes (juniors) F-1, Coronets (sophomores) K-2. A freshman group will form soon. North High: Imma Athenas (juniors) Monday nights at 7 p.m. Bobby Soxers (seniors) Tuesday nights at 7 p.m. Both clubs meet at the high school or in private homes. New clubs will form shortly. Narbonne: Belas (includes all high school girls) 7 p.m. Monday nights at the YWCA. Junior High: Deb-U-Teens (eighth graders) Monday, 4 p.m. at the YWCA. For the time being the seventh graders will meet with this club and eventually form their own. All girls in the area are urged to join the club open to their grade and school. For further information on any of the clubs please call the YWCA, FA. 8-5914.

Stephens Day Honored by Local Alumnae

Stephens College alumnae living in the South Bay Area met last Friday at the home of Mrs. Philip Simon, Via Sonoma, Palos Verdes, to celebrate "Stephens Day". The birthday of former College President James M. Wood has been designated as "Stephens Day" by alumnae living all over the United States. Among the guests was Mrs. William Shannen of Studio City, regional director of Alumnae Clubs in California, Nevada, Utah and Arizona for Stephens College, Columbia, Mo. The possibility of forming an Alumnae Club in this area was discussed. Present were Mmes. Robert D. West II, Kenneth M. Boulter and J. A. Green of Torrance; Robert A. Horstman, B. B. McIntosh and James R. Scott of Rolling Hills; and Edwin G. Paulson, Ralph DePauw and the hostess, Philip Simon of Palos Verdes.

Drama Workshop Offered by Footlighters

A drama workshop is being offered by the Footlight Theater of North Torrance. Meetings are held every Monday and Wednesday 7:30 p.m. at the Magruder School Cafeteria, 185th Street and Bailey. The workshop is under the direction of Al Sturmer. Sturmer has directed musicals and three act plays in the San Francisco Bay Area. The fundamentals of acting and stage craft will be taught at first for those with no stage experience. "Dear Ruth" a two act comedy by Norman Krasna is now in rehearsal during the same meetings. Director Herman Boodman is using the Horseshoe Stage to present this play. Call Herman Boodman, DA. 9-5338 for any information about "Dear Ruth" or the Workshop.

Church Vows Exchanged by Miss DiMeglio, Charles Morriss

St. Margaret Mary Catholic Church of Lomita was the setting of the Sept. 26 marriage of Miss Yolanda DiMeglio and Charles Morriss. The bride the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pat DiMeglio of 2057 225th St., Lomita was given in marriage by her father. Her bridal gown of peau-de-soie, silk-taffeta was designed with a V neck with a pleated over-piece forming the collar and a floor length full bouffant skirt. The hoop skirt was embroidered with silver thread and sequins with inserts of pleated tulle. A sequin trimmed crown of lace held the bride's veil in place and she carried a cascade bouquet of white roses and orchids. The bride's veil and the attire worn by flower girl, Rose Marie De Monte, were made by Mrs. Rinaldo De Marco of Riverside. Miss Mary Jane DiMeglio served the bride as maid of honor. Bridesmaids were, Ann and Helen Cassidy, Brenda Machado, Lydia De Leon and Judy Marsh. Melvin Morriss, served the bridegroom the son of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Morriss of 26117 Belle Porte Ave., Harbor City, as best man. Ushers were Jerry Jack, Mike McLain, Jack Mello, John DeMeglio and Chuck Riggs. Following the wedding ceremonies the newlyweds, both graduates of Narbonne High School, were honored at a dinner-reception at the San Pedro YWCA. The father of the bride prepared the dinner for the reception attended by over 300 guests. An evening of dancing followed. Mrs. Pat DiMeglio Jr., was in charge of the guest book. Out of town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Ame, Santa Maria; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fujimoto, Ms. and Mrs. Jerry Piazza, Mrs. Ida Piazza and Agrusa, Los Angeles; Mrs. Lulu Mrs. Grace Wartman of River, Warren, Miss Francis Mello, San side; Mr. and Mrs. Al Luevano, Luis Obispo and Mr. and Mrs. Roseda; Mr. and Mrs. Antonia Horace Spuriok, Banning.



MRS. CHARLES MORRIS —Photo by Stanford's



ALL IS GOLD that glitters on this stunning cocktail suit. Made of 24k gold metallic cloth and accented with black velvet rose and piping, it's a part of the "Lilli Ann" collection of suits and coats available at the Gay Shop in downtown Torrance.

Clinic Success Report Given at Board Meet

The executive board of the Torrance Junior Woman's Club held its monthly meeting Monday at 8 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Lee E. Allen, 20527 Osage St. Mrs. Robert Davis reported on the success of the Junior sponsored polio clinic held at the Victor Benstead Plunge Sept. 29. A total of 1746 inoculations were given in the two hours, 623 of which were first inoculations. There were 95 second inoculations, 319 third and 711 fourth. There will be a follow-up clinic at the Plunge Nov. 3. A period of seven to nine months must lapse between the second and third inoculations, and the fourth may be given in another year for complete protection. As a result of the clinic the Torrance Juniors were able to contribute to the Polio Foundation a sum of \$657. Assisting the doctors at the clinic were Mmes. Davis, James K. Lees and Edward D. Aiken. Other Juniors assisting with the preparation of materials and the clerical work were Mmes. W. E. Starr, R. K. Petrat, Ben R. McRee, J. F. Lessel, F. T. Bumbalough, F. C. C. Murphy, Charles Turner, John Prescott, J. R. Curtin, A. R. Felando Jr., Kenneth Boulier, Lee E. Allen, J. A. Perrey and Dean Zander. Juniors were also assisted by Mrs. Clara Connor, postmistress of Torrance.

Psychologist to Give Series on Marriage

Dr. Barney Katz, noted psychologist, will conduct the second of his free lectures on marriage Monday evening at Torrance High School Auditorium. The Monday evening series is open to the public. Tickets may be obtained at the Adult Education Office, Torrance High School, or will be available at the door. The lectures, presented by the Torrance Adult Education Department, will include on successive weeks, a discussion on "Companionship in Marriage," "Sex in Marriage" and "Loyalties in Marriage."